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Campus Notes

Alaska or Bust!

"Alaska or bust!" so said four sophomores of the Mine Engineering Department, and in Alaska they now are. The four of them, John Eagle, Charles Acker, M. B. Stevenson, and Carl Wheeler, left Columbus on March 19 in a newly-purchased Model T Ford. They arrived in Seattle, Wash., on the twenty-fifth, sold their conveyance and two of them embarked that day while the other two waited a week before sailing. They expect, or at least hope, to get work in the gold mines near Fairbanks, Alaska; and if they don't get work—well, they will worry about that later.

Prospector's Club

The first meeting of the quarter of the Prospector's Club, a Mine Engineering society, was held on the afternoon of April 3. Plans were made for the program for the quarter. The society adopted a key which carries the club's symbolic pick and drill crossed on a rock mounted on a square plaque to replace the pin given in former years. At the next meeting, which will probably be a picnic, new officers will be elected. The date has been tentatively set for April 27.

Keramos

The first meeting of the spring quarter of Keramos, Ceramic Engineering honorary, was held in Lord Hall on April 3. With the exception of making plans to have a picture of the group taken, very little business was discussed. After the business meeting, work was started on the new research planned by the group. This work is similar to that which was finished last quarter. With the exception that zirconia instead of tin is being introduced into the aluminium and cobalt stains.

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Mine Engineering

The Mine Engineering Department is planning an inspection trip for its students through a variety of Ohio Mining plants. The trip will begin immediately after the close of school in June and will take about three or four days.

Metallurgical Engineering

The Metallurgical Engineering Department is planning to kill two birds with one stone when they leave for their annual inspection trip. Chicago is the objective of their ten-day trip, but here is where the second murder comes in; they are intending to kill time seeing the World's Fair.

Dr. James R. Withrow, Chairman of the Department of Chemical Engineering, Ohio State University, is in Cleveland, Ohio, attending research conferences on Industrial Pollution. From Cleveland, Dr. Withrow will go to Washington, D. C., to attend conferences on American Society for Testing Materials—Committee C-7 Line work. Dr. Withrow is Chairman of Committee C-7. He will also, while in the east, attend the Board of Directors Meeting, American Institute of Chemical Engineers, New York, and other various research conferences in New York City.
